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Oars and Sails, who is directed to make a Return of ye number and Sizes of them as soon as possible to the Commanding Officer.

Reports to be made to the Commanding Officer of all Boats that come to the Island.

The Commanding Officer of each Company of the State Artill.^y. Present is required to give immediate Notice to the Officers of his Company who are absent that the Commanding Officer expects they directly Join their respective Corps.

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Orders, which General Hancock the Commanding Officer of the Garrison on Castle Island expects are very strictly attended to and Obey'd. ——

The Commanding Officer understands that Centinels have been posted without having their Arms inspected and at times have been on Duty without even a Flint in their Guns. The Officers of the State Artill.y are therefore required to Examine the Arms & Acoutriments of every Soldier, & make a Report immediately of the State of them, the number of Arms, and what Deficiancies of every kind. ——

Every Vessel outward and inward to be reported by the Officer of ye Day. Commanders and Vessels Names, where bound or where from. if a Foreign Vessell the time She has been out and whether the Passengers and Crew are free from Sickness. ——

The Passes of all Vessells outward bound to be brought to the Commanding Officer, & the Officer of the Day to see the Vessells outward bound are timely Hail'd that if there be any refusal of Complying with the Regulations establish'd by the Laws of the State they may be properly notic'd ——

No Commiss.d Officer or Non Commiss.d Officer or Soldier to Depart from the Garrison without the Knowledge of the Commanding Officer.

No Boat to be taken from the Island without the leave of the Commanding Officer, & when leave is had and the Boat return'd. to be deliverd with the Oars to the Person appointed to take Charge of them. ——

Serj.t Nash is appointed to the Care of all the Boats

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